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### **Zero Tillage beneficial for farmers**

Muzaffarpur: Farm mechanization increases the capacity of soil to absorb water, retain organic matter, and reduce erosion by allowing the direct sowing of rice seed without ploughing. Agriculture scientist, Dr Anupama Kumari, from Krishi Vigyan Kendra Saraiya said, "Using zero tillage, farmers can get higher productivity in reduced cost". These benefits were shared in a farmer training program cum machine distribution program organized by Sehgal Foundation and PTC Foundation in Khairika.

Three zero tillage machines and two potato planters were distributed at the event.